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In Honor of Mrs. Todd.

Last Thursday afternoon at Lindsey-Wilson, Miss Rose Heyd, assisted by the other lady members of the faculty and Mrs. Moss, delightfully entertained with a picnic in honor of Mrs. Robert Todd, who had formerly been expression teacher in that institution of learning. The guests were received in Miss Heyd's class room which was artistically decorated in cut flowers, the color scheme being green and yellow.

The elaborate lunch was served from a long table beautifully decorated and lighted with candles. After the lunch was served the guests were invited upstairs to the music studio, where a short but very interesting program, consisting of vocal solos by Mrs. Hurt and Miss Hord, piano solo by Miss Hewitt, and readings by Miss Chandler were rendered.

About thirty-five guests were present, and each pronounced this gathering to be one of the most pleasant of the season.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

ADAIR CIRCUIT COURT OF KENTUCKY.

C. W. Young & etc., Pltff. vs. Chas. Montgomery & etc., Def.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Adair Circuit Court, rendered at the September Term, thereof, 1914, in the above cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Columbia, Ky., to the highest bidder, at Public Auction, on Monday the 2nd day of Nov., 1914, at one o'clock p. m., or thereabout (being County Court,) upon a credit of six months the following described property, to-wit: Two certain tracts of land situated in Adair County, Ky., on the waters of Glensfork and Cedar Creek and consists of two tracts of land, which is described as follows: The first tract contains 130 acres more or less. The 2nd tract contains 18 acres be the same more or less. Both tracts are fully described by maps and bounds in the Judgment and Order of sale, which is of record in Order Book No. 14, Page 272 to which reference is made for particulars, in the office of the Clerk of the Adair Circuit Court. Said two tracts of land will first be offered separately, and then both together, and the bid or bids will be accepted that will produce the most money. For the purchase price, the purchaser, with approved surety or securities, must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms. W. A. Coffey, Master Commissioner.

School Rally at Antioch.

On account of rain the Rally held by Division No. 2, did not carry out the program in full.

The displays were fine, but the athletics were cut short on account of the rain. There was a very good crowd, most all of the schools of the Division being represented. High-step school won the highest number of first premiums; Keltner second highest; and Antioch third highest; Firkin and Ricketson tied on fourth highest number of firsts, the former having more seconds than the latter. Breeding, Harmony, and Hunter tied on fifth number of firsts. All the schools present deserve praise for good work rendered.

We were all disappointed on account of Superintendent Huffaker not being present.

I have purchased the barber shop formerly conducted by Mr. G. W. Lowe. I am prepared to give good service and will appreciate the patronage of the many who have been patronizing this shop. Call when you need work. Yours Truly, Asa Loy.

Melton Mansfield and Louie Pace were indicted in the Barren circuit court for conspiracy to murder the late Robert T. Thurman, who was the city marshal of Glasgow. A special term was set for last Monday to try the case. The defendants gave notice that they would move for a change of venue. The motion was overruled and the trial commenced.

Mr. Alfred Sneed and Miss Ada Smith were married in the County Clerk's office last Thursday morning by Judge Herriford. After the ceremony the couple joined hands and smilingly left the room. The father of the boy contributed to Judge Herriford a coin of the realm for staring the enterprise.

Opossums are ripe and up to this time a few fat ones have been caught.

Sanitary Canvass of the County.

Dr. J. S. Lock, member of the State Sanitary Board, was here last week. His visit was to perfect arrangements whereby the health conditions of Adair county could be benefitted. It is the intention of the Board to canvass the counties of the State and to see that they are put in a better sanitary condition, to stamp out the hook-worm, typhoid fever and consumption. These are all preventative diseases, and proper precautions will eradicate them. It requires some money to pay expenses of a canvass, and Dr. Lock, after delivering a very interesting lecture to Fiscal Court, showing how these diseases could be removed from the county, asked for appropriation of two hundred dollars to assist in defraying expenses. This proposition was not voted, but later the Court made an appropriation of one hundred and fifty dollars and Dr. Lock added fifty dollars to that amount, which will be paid from a fund in his hands, and in one week from to-day the Canvass will commence. Dr. U. L. Taylor will accompany the canvassing board, and every school district in the county will be visited.

There is not a doubt but this board is doing a grand, humane work in its efforts to stamp out disease, and it is the general opinion that the Fiscal Court did the proper thing when it voted the appropriation.

LATER:—Thursday morning the court re-considered its vote and the proposition failed.

A CALL

Modern Woodmen.

A call meeting for conferring degrees in the Modern Woodman Lodge is called for Monday night, Oct. 19th, 1914. All M. W. A's. in good standing are earnestly requested to be present. J. C. Strange, Clerk

Basket Ball.

Last Saturday evening the Lindsey-Wilson basket ball team engaged the Jamestown team, the game being played in the gymnasium. It was fast from the start and much excitement reigned throughout. At the finish the score card showed 33 to 19 in favor of the Lindsey-Wilson.

The residents of Columbia were very much disappointed last Friday evening. The Sparksville string band was billed to give a musical at the court-house and all arrangements had been made by local friends. It rained during the day and only three of the musicians put in an appearance, and the entertainment was called off to the regret of the town. It may be that another date will be announced and if so, the Sparksville troupe may rest assured that it will be given a rousing audience.

Prices on Coffee Reduced.

Pilgrim (fresh roasted)	13c.
Monarch (fresh roasted)	19c.
None better.	

49-1f. Russell & Co.

Mr. Lawrence Rousseau, formerly of Glasgow, a Gentleman well-known in this part of Kentucky where he worked insurance for a number of years, and Mrs. Sadie Williams Brewer were married in the Highland Park Presbyterian church, Louisville, on the 7th of this month. The Pastor, Rev. T. M. Hawes officiated. The couple will reside in Louisville. At present, they are on a bridal tour in the East.

Mr. Robert E. Woods, of Louisville, who is a member of the Good Roads Association of Kentucky, made an interesting talk here last Thursday. At the conclusion quite a number took membership, paying \$5 each. Kentucky is sadly in need of better roads, especially this section, and Mr. Woods is endeavoring to bring about substantial interest.

Dr. Frank Cheek, of Danville, delivered two strong and interesting sermons at the Presbyterian Church last Sunday. He is a speaker of force, holding his hearers from start to the close.

Smith & Conover's new mill, near the square, will be completed and ready for operation in a short time. It is a large three story building, plenty room for storing grain. New machinery will also be installed, making it an up-to-date flouring mill.

Prof. A. H. Ballard was appointed by the Fiscal Court to make the settlement with the Sheriff for 1914. This settlement will be submitted to the Court at the October term.

The advance in price of everything that affects the cost of publishing a paper leaves no room for a dollar loss in the subscription. We are compelled to receive pay for every paper or advance the subscription price to \$1.50 per year, and more than likely will do both within a very short time. The News can not exist on promises to pay—it must receive what it earns. Thousands of dollars are justly due this office and to be plain we want what is due. Many statements have been mailed and but few have sent in the pay. THE TIME TO CLEAN UP HAS COME. If you fail to receive your paper you may know that you lose by not paying. It matters not how much money or property you have, or how good your credit is, we are compelled to collect and will begin the clearance of our books at once. If you have received a statement no other notice is necessary. Where the paper is discontinued we will expect every one to square on our books just the same, and if not done within a reasonable time will use the most effective agency for collection. This notice outlining the methods we are compelled to adopt should receive hearty response from every one who really desires The News. Justice and honesty should prompt every one to settle arrearage and not force us to use legal methods to get our just dues.

As foreign as it is from the policy of this office, as much as we dislike to inconvenience many who read the paper and promise to pay we can not continue longer to run on promises and hope. Take notice and act accordingly.

Series of Meetings.

Eld. Z. T. Williams, assisted by Eld. W. G. Montgomery, will begin a series of meetings at the Christian Church, this city, next Monday night.

Miss Kate Warren, of Liberty, will lead the singing. She has a melodious voice, as is known to a great many Columbians, and has led the song service in a number of protracted meetings. She will be assisted by the best singers of town.

Eld. Montgomery is a strong preacher and is a very successful revivalist.

Notice.

In order to accommodate the trade, we wish to ask customers to call during the week for Hair cutting at 15c. Saturday Prices will be 25c to All. We are forced to do this in order to accommodate the trade.

Sullivan Bros., Asa Loy.

Ten Dollar Prize.

Will you please have inserted in your local paper the announcement that Attorney General James Garnett offers to the teacher in Adair county who teaches the best moonlight school a prize of \$10 in gold. Any teacher who has not yet started a moonlight school, may begin late and win this prize.

With kindest regards and best wishes, I am sincerely, Cora Wilson Stewart.

For Sale.

A house and lot in Columbia, the lot containing 2 1/2 acres, located on Greensburg street.

W. C. Smith, Cane Valley, Ky.

Bear in mind that if you want to keep up with the foreign war, the Review of Reviews will keep you posted. The articles are impartially written, and that the very best writers are editing the magazine. There is no better book than this periodical and it should visit every regulated home and every professional man should have it on his table. Address The Review of Reviews, New York, N. Y.

Eggs Wanted.

We will pay 20c per dozen for eggs this week.

The Stewards of the Columbia district, M. E. Church, South, met in the Methodist Church, this place, last Wednesday. The object of the meeting was to arrange to raise a sufficient fund to pay the preachers and to meet other expenses for the ensuing year. At the dinner hour the Stewards and a few ministers were entertained by Presiding Elder W. F. Hogard.

An order for 4,500 cavalry horses and mules was placed with St. Louis, Mo., dealers last week by representatives of the French Government. This order which is to be filled within ten days will cost France approximately \$760,000. Eight representatives of the French Government at St. Louis, declare they were authorized to buy 100,000 horses at an expenditure of about \$12,000,000.

Workmen will finish putting in waterworks fixtures at the two dormitories of the Lindsey-Wilson in a very few days.

Public Sale.

Having sold my farm at Knifley, Ky., with the intention of going to Georgia the first of the year, I now offer for sale at the same place, on Saturday, Oct. 17, the following property:

One Head of Cattle
One 3-year-old mule
One 2-year-old mare
One New Rubber Tire cut-under Buggy.

Farm Wagon and other Farm Implementations.
Also Household and Kitchen Furniture.

Terms made known on day of Sale. S. H. Knifley, Auctioneer.

W. L. Russell, Knifley, Ky.
The above sale was postponed from Saturday Oct. 10th till Saturday Oct. 17th.

The Bandy Singers appeared at the court-house last Thursday evening and were greeted by a very fair audience. The singing of the little girl, seven years old, was appreciated, and the sum of money she collected from the audience was cheerfully given. Prof. Hill and his children were present and took part in several selections. Prof. Bandy has the reputation of being a very melodious singer, and we would not doubt his talent in this line, but upon this occasion he was certainly indisposed, as his singing did not come up to his reputation. It is often that a singer's voice is cut of commission.

Messrs. McFarland & Feese and a crew of hands are getting along with Dr. B. F. Taylor's residence, on Burkesville street, as rapidly as weather conditions will permit. It will be large, roomy, and a very attractive home, a credit to the locality where it is situated. It will be occupied by Dr. Taylor and his son, Dr. James Taylor, who will come to Columbia to practice their profession.

Wanted.

A man to sell and collect in Adair county, good pay permanent employment. Address Singer Sewing Machine Co., Campbellsville, Ky.

50-2t.

Mr. G. W. Lowe has decided not to leave Columbia and will, in a very short time, open a shoe store in the building on the north side of the square, now occupied by Mr. M. C. Winfrey. He takes over Mr. Winfrey's stock of groceries which he will sell at wholesale price at once. He proposes to handle only the best and up-to-date brands of ladies and gent's shoes. Mrs. Lowe will be the saleslady in the store. An ad will appear in the News later, giving particulars.

At the session of Fiscal Court, held last week, Mrs. Ermine Leach was re-elected poor-house keeper. Dr. S. P. Miller was re-elected jail physician and Drs. Nell & Simmons were elected poor-house physicians. Mrs. Leach's contract is to board the subjects for \$1.25 per week. The jail physician is to receive \$50.00 per year, and the poor-house physicians the same sum.

Eld. W. B. Taylor closed a meeting at Mt. Pleasant last Thursday night with three additions to the Church by baptism. Two were restored. Saturday night he commenced a meeting at Hebron near the residence of Mr. W. B. Rowe.

Quarterly court is in session.

Notice to Teachers and Patrons.

The newly adopted school books are now on sale at Mr. W. I. Ingram's in Columbia, at Mr. Lee Chelf's at Knifley, at Mr. J. R. Tutt's, in Milltown, and J. P. Miller's at Crocus. Mr. Ingram has a good supply of nearly all the books, and will order more as they are needed. The school law requires the patrons to provide their children with these newly adopted books. The Superintendent, the trustees, the county board, are all required to see that these books are introduced into the schools and used to the exclusion of all other text books. Any of these officials may be fined for allowing any other book to be used in the schools after the new can be had. The fine varies from ten to fifty dollars. The teachers are required to teach as texts, only the new books. They are liable to the same penalty for violating the law as any school official. Suits are being instituted in some localities against teachers who refuse to introduce the new books. There is no option in this matter. It is simply a matter of law. Teachers run the risk of losing their salaries if they do not require their patrons to procure the new books. I am not responsible for the situation. I did not make the law or the adoption, but I must be a law-abiding man in my official capacity.

Patrons will please secure the new books at once, and teachers will cease to use the old ones. Patrons will please remember that the exchange of old books can be made only during this school year, which ends June 30, 1915.

Respt. Tobias Huffaker, Supt., A. C. S.

If the ladies want artistic millinery, the latest styles, at living prices, call at the store of Eubank & Summers.

Garnett's Report.

The third biennial report of the Attorney General of Kentucky, which is just off the press and being sent out by Attorney General James Garnett, is a most interesting volume of 963 pages that reflects much credit on the head of the State legal department and his efficient force. The report should have been distributed earlier in the year, but on account of the volume of printing caused by the session of the General Assembly the printing of the report was somewhat delayed.

It is an interesting compilation, showing that Mr. Garnett's work has been well done. In the report, Gen. Garnett pays a high tribute to his assistants and office staff, M. M. Logan, Chas. H. Morris, O. S. Hogan, R. T. Caldwell and D. T. Myatt.

Notice.

All who are in need of a new wagon bed, or dressed lumber to make a new bed, call at J. M. Kearns' Machine Shop before you buy. Give him a call on anything you need in the repair line.

49-3t. J. M. Kearns.

Next Monday the Russell circuit court opens at Jamestown, and it is expected a very large number of the yeomanry of the county will be in attendance. A News man will be on the public square a portion of the first week, and will take pleasure in waiting upon all patrons of this office. There are quite a number of friends who are behind on our subscription book, and we urge them to be ready to settle. We also want many new subscribers, and would be thankful if they would come in scores.

We take this opportunity to extend a cordial invitation to the ministers of the town and their members to attend the revival meeting at the Christian church beginning next Monday evening at 7 o'clock p. m. Also a special invitation to all the singers in the town to assist in song service to be led by Miss Kate Warriner, of Liberty.

Russell Creek Baptist Association for next year will be held at Columbia in the month of October. The exact date will be given in due time. The one just closed in Green county was a most profitable and interesting meeting. Many very encouraging reports were made, and a number of strong sermons delivered.

Rev. J. S. Chandler exhibited at this office, Monday, a hen egg, gathered at his home, almost as large as a turkey egg. We do not remember of ever seeing a hen egg of such dimensions.

The Church Board has decided not to have the New Baptist church dedicated on the fourth Sunday. Another date will be given in due time.

Russell Creek Association.

The 510th annual session of this association was held with the Beech Grove Baptist Church, Green county, October 7th and 8th.

H. S. Robinson, of Campbellsville, was re-elected Moderator and E. H. Henderson, of Thurlow, re-elected Clerk.

The introductory sermon was preached by Rev. O. P. Bush, of Columbia, Ky., from Heb. 4th c. 12-13 vs. It was a faithful, forcible and clear exposition of the text. Pastor Bush showed himself both an exegete and a teacher. It was enjoyed by all who love truth.

Secretary F. D. Perkins, of the Baptist Educational Society, was given a special place on the program after dinner of the first day and made a telling speech on Baptist Schools as denominational assets.

He stated that the Baptists in Russell Creek Association had great cause to be proud of their undertaking this year in raising thirty thousand dollars for Russell Creek Baptist Academy. That the Association had surpassed anything done in the State this year. He spoke of the day when all real Baptist schools must come to be a real denominational asset. That in their function to give totality education. That is, education of mind, soul and body of the child. All three are God-given and must be kept for the Master's use.

The Trustees of the Russell Creek Baptist Academy reported that they had raised this year in round numbers, thirty thousand dollars for the indebtedness and endowment fund of the school. They also reported that they had purchased 52 acres of land adjacent to the school, where industrious boys may find employment in earning their board and tuition, and where a scientific course in agriculture will be taught. There was great enthusiasm over this report.

The courches gave this year \$537.28 for Home Missions; \$216.17 for State Missions; \$411.90 for District Missions. This is far better financial report than for previous years.

The doctrinal sermon was preached by pastor L. C. Kelley from the text "Thou shalt not muzzle the ox that treadeth out the corn. For the laborer is worthy of his hire." Subject Pastoral support as taught by the Bible. 37 churches of the Association were represented.

Special features of the session was the history of the last ten years of the Association by our beloved brother and historian, B. W. Penick, of Greensburg, which is very interesting and will make the minutes of this session of especial value. 2nd that this is the one hundredth anniversary of the visit of Luther Rice to this Association held at Friendship Church, in 1814. Luther Rice was present and made a speech for Foreign Missions and took up a collection of over \$114. This was the first Association to contribute to Foreign Missions.

After singing the hymn "God be with you till we meet again," and giving each other the parting hand, the body was adjourned with prayer by Rev. John A. Pierce to meet with the Columbia Church, Columbia, Ky., on the 6th day of October, 1915.

The Executive Board of the Association that was elected at this session is as follows, viz: J. W. Durham, Greensburg, Ky.; Lurad C. Curry, Pierce, Ky.; C. S. Harris, Columbia, Ky.; W. N. McCubbins, Bengal, Ky., and H. S. Robinson, Campbellsville, Ky.

Young Jersey cow for sale. Harlan Shaw.

The corn crop this year in the United States is 200,000,000 bushels greater than last year, yet it is now demanding good prices, and there is no immediate prospect of its declining. It is not only a safe proposition to plant a large corn crop next year, but to sow large acreages of wheat and oats, as the European war is likely to continue for a year or more and all kinds of agricultural products in consequence will demand high figures.

Wanted.

Live minks \$7.00; black skunks, \$5.00. Write me for particulars, Jas. Weatherford, Bradfordsville, Ky.

49-4t.

Be ready to settle with a representative of this paper, who will be in Jamestown for a few days beginning the first of next week.

Well drillers found a good stream of water on Mr. John Lee Walker's premises at a depth of thirty-five feet. A water witch named the place to start the drill. Three other efforts had been made to find water.

The new mercantile firm, Messrs. Neat & Murray, have an attractive "ad" in today's paper. Read it then call at the store.